AN ORDINANCE

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AN ORDINANCE MAKING THE INTERSECTION OF HUTCHENS ROAD, SW AT FORREST PARK ROAD, SW A THREE-WAY STOP; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, there is an increasingly growing number of vehicles that are traveling through the intersections of Hutchens Road, SW and Forrest Park Road, SW;

WHEREAS, there are many families in the area which households run the gambit of senior citizens to elementary age children; and

WHEREAS, residents of the neighborhood in the area surrounding of Hutchens Road, SW and Forrest Park Road, SW have expressed their concerns regarding the high volume of traffic that comes through this intersection due, in large measure, to the accessibility of I-285 and I-675; and

WHEREAS, there is also a high school (South Atlanta) in the area which places school buses and students traveling up and down the street in the morning where vehicles are trying to get to the freeway; and

WHEREAS, the lack of a three-way stop signs poses a significant hazard and public safety risk to all the residents of the neighborhood.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA as follows:

<u>SECTION 1:</u> That the intersection of Hutchens Road, SW and Forrest Park Road, SW be made a Three-Way Stop and that stop signs be installed at the appropriate intersections.

<u>SECTION 2:</u> That all ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.